

ABOUT THE STATE

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST FROM DIFFERENT SECTIONS

Thirty-six applications for liquor licenses were received in Winooski.

Clarence Simpson, an eight-year-old Waterbury boy, caught 34 trout April 15 in a few hours.

Seven prospective optometrists took the examination before the state board of optometry in Rutland Wednesday.

No definite move has yet been made to secure a site for St. Johnsbury's new armory. Several sites are under consideration.

May 17 to 20 are the dates of the "Made in St. Johnsbury" exposition, which that town is to feature with a parade and carnival.

Otis R. Ross of Brattleboro and Sarah Lizzie (Crafts) Ross, aged respectively 64 and 60 years, who were divorced a few years ago, were remarried April 19 in Brattleboro.

A setting hen on the farm of Richardson and Simpson in Waterbury has adopted some small rabbits, driving the mother rabbit away and snuggling them in her feathers.

If business conditions next year warrant it, the Howe Scale company will erect in Rutland a 200x60 foot addition to the existing room to handle railroad scales and other heavy work.

As Mary, the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips of Poultney, was riding on a load of slate with a neighbor, she fell off and one wheel passed over her body. She is recovering at the Rutland hospital.

A large amount of milk is being sent from East Concord, from 3,500 to 4,000 quarts being shipped each morning for Boston markets, which is considerable for farmers in that section to produce.

G. H. Haselton celebrated his 73d birthday anniversary April 8 at his home in North Walden. Friends sent cards and cake. Mr. Haselton receiving news of the latter, each donor being ignorant of the purpose of the others.

Ray Blaisdell of Underhill fell from a road lay, striking on an upturned pitchfork, the times of which entered his body through the lower rib. It is thought that no vital organs were pierced and no serious results are anticipated.

The descendants of Martin Smith, Jr., who came from Hadley, Mass., to Rupert in 1769, have lived on the same farm in that town for 147 years. In Mount Holly, the Dawley farm has been occupied by the family of that name 135 years. It was settled by Perry Green Dawley in 1781 and only Dawleys have ever owned it.

Two St. Johnsbury motorists, Walter J. Lewis and Maurice Kelley, were arrested last week in their home town for speeding, each paying a fine of \$5 and costs of \$7.95. Floyd Cheever also paid a fine of \$2 and costs of \$7.95 for speeding in his motorcycle.

Frank V. Smith of Stowe has a powder horn 20 inches long and three inches in diameter at the base, decorated with numerous carvings of human figures, trees and other objects, and bearing the initials of the name Samuel H. Pember. The horn was formerly the property of Mr. Pember, who was taken prisoner by the Indians at the raid of Royalton, Oct. 16, 1780. He was taken to Canada, where he remained two years when he was ransomed by his father, Elijah Pember. Mr. Smith is about to send the horn to Jay Read Pember of Woodstock.

The contract for building the \$85,000 addition to the St. Johnsbury house at St. Johnsbury has been let to the Cummings Construction company of Woodville, N. H., the contract calling for the completion of the building ready for occupancy Sept. 1. With the erection of the new armory, costing \$25,000 and a parish house for Notre Dame church, which will cost \$25,000, also several new residences and much remodeling, the building trade in St. Johnsbury starts off with a boom.

The G. A. R. Commander, Capt. Henry C. Streeter of Brattleboro, who has been elected commander of the department of Vermont, G. A. R., enlisted in Company F, 1st Vermont cavalry, in Brattleboro and served as a private, until promoted to a sergeant in July, 1864. As a sergeant he was wounded twice at the same time in the battle near Charleston in the Shenandoah valley, August 24, 1864, once in the abdomen and again in the left arm. He recovered sufficiently in three months to rejoin his command. He was promoted by the regular stages until he was made captain February 2, 1865.

He is a native of Chesterfield, N. H., and was born January 27, 1841. He has

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State of Vermont
Charles Winslow Gates, Governor

A PROCLAMATION

That we may advance more rapidly in the development of our natural resources;

That we may grow stronger in our desire to assist nature in her beautifying process;

That we may leave Vermont richer and more beautiful than we found her;

I, Charles Winslow Gates, governor, appoint

Friday, May fifth, 1916.

Arbor Day

And I urge the men and women and boys and girls of our commonwealth to make this day profitable by practical demonstration in tree planting and by careful and earnest attention to the study of Vermont's needs in forest protection, development and conservation.

The planting of shrubs and trees, the study of birds and bird life and the planning of our gardens should receive our approbation; but we should not forget the greater needs of Vermont—the building of ideals by a spirited, energetic and wholesome co-operation, that a great state may become greater, that a good people may become better, that disagreeable tasks may become pleasant duties, and that health, happiness and work may become our greatest asset.

Given under my hand and seal of the state, at Montpelier this 12th day of April, in the

[Seal] year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and of the independence of the United States, the one hundred and fortieth.

Charles Winslow Gates, Governor.

By the governor:

Benjamin Gates, Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs.

been pension agent over ten years and conducts a real estate business. He is a trustee of the Soldiers' Home in Bennington and very well known to Grand Army men throughout the state.

As Farm Land Goes Up

It looks like a good augury—the fact, announced by a bulletin from the agricultural department, that the value of farm lands in the United States is increasing at the rate of five per cent a year. The value of these lands, without the improvements taking the country through, is now \$45.55 per acre, against \$40.85 a year ago, \$40.31 the year before that, and \$38.10 the year before that. In 1910 it was \$32.40. In 1900, it was only \$15.57. In a sense, this increase is a good indication. It means a gain in the wealth of the farmer; and upon the wealth of the farmer all other wealth still rests in this preponderantly agricultural country. The farmer's well-being is the corner-stone of our national prosperity. And yet the fact that farm land is on the up-grade so rapidly carries with it some disquieting thoughts. Dearest land means scarcer land for the people who are going back to it. Generally speaking, it means a narrower margin between the farmer's investment and the price he gets for his products. It may also mean higher prices for food. It raises a more impassable barrier between the man who works for wages and the owning class. It squints more and more at that thing which formerly we had not in this country, and which we thought we were never going to have—a landless proletariat. It moves American life a step nearer to the social condition of Europe.

The ideal state of the working population in this country was found when free land was to be had by anyone who was willing to take it and live on it. That condition left the laborer always a chance to escape from wage service. An increase of the average value of farm land from \$15 in 1900 to \$45 in 1916 is a most momentous, and even an alarming, fact for the wage worker who looks about him for an escape from that condition. If this tendency continues at the present rate, five per cent a year, the hope of something becoming a landowner will be by an other decennial period apparently be at an end for the wage earner, and the curtail, for him, will be rung up on a purely proletarian epoch.

However, there are bright spots in the situation even for the landless workers. If land is scarcer, less of it suffices for a competence than heretofore. The average size of farms is steadily decreasing, and the acreage production per acre is increasing. Nor is there any tendency toward "landlordism" along with the increase in the value of land. The total number of farms in the United States operated by their owners increased by 280,382 from 1900 to 1910. It is true that the number of farms operated by tenants also increased by 324,290, but tenant farming in the northern and western states is not carried on as in Europe, in large estates, where many tenants are under one landlord. It is independent or original farming, no less than in the case of farms operated by the owners. The tenant farmer is no less his own master than the owning farmer. Tenant farming is always open to the thrifty wage worker willing to master its principles. Furthermore, with the opening of new drainage and irrigation projects, which are bound to bring a greatly added area of land into cultivation, new opportunities are continually arising for the wage worker to become the owner of a farm. The door of opportunity for the wage worker to cease being a wage worker is still open, and probably will remain so during the life of the present generation.—Boston Transcript.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26

at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises now occupied by me, known as the George Owen farm in Cabot, about 2 1/2 miles from Cabot village on the main road to Hardwick, the following described personal property:

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE

ESTATE OF LUCY C. FARNHAM

The undersigned, having been appointed by the honorable probate court for the district of Randolph, COMMISSIONERS, to receive, examine and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Lucy C. Farnham, late of Orange, in said district, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the dwellinghouse of the late Lucy C. Farnham, in the town of Orange, Vt., in said district, on the 12th day of May and 26th day of September next, from 1 o'clock p. m. until 4 o'clock p. m., on each of said days, and that six months from the 27th day of March, A. D. 1916, is the time limited by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated at Orange, Vt., this 17th day of April, A. D. 1916.

OSCAR DICKEY, SHERMAN CHAMBERLIN, Commissioners.

ESTATE OF OWEN L. BLIGH

State of Vermont, District of Washington, ss. The Honorable Probate Court for the District Aforesaid: To all persons interested in the estate of Owen L. Bligh, late of the city of Barre, in said district, deceased, GREETING: WHEREAS, said court has assigned the 12th day of May next for examining and allowing the account of the administratrix of the estate of said deceased and for a decree of the court in said matter, and ordered that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested in said estate by publication of this notice three weeks successively previous to the day assigned, in the Barre Daily Times, a newspaper published at the city of Barre, in said district.

THEREFORE, you are hereby notified to appear at the probate office in Montpelier, in said district, on the day assigned, and there to contest the allowance of said account if you see cause, and to establish your rights as heirs, legatees and lawful claimants to said residue.

Given under my hand, this 20th day of April, 1916.

FRANK J. MARTIN, Judge.

ESTATE OF CHARLES A. PLOUFF

State of Vermont, District of Washington, ss. The Honorable Probate Court for the District Aforesaid: To all persons interested in the estate of Charles A. Plouff, late of the city of Barre, in said district, deceased, GREETING: WHEREAS, said court has assigned the 12th day of May next for examining and allowing the account of the administratrix of the estate of said deceased and for a decree of the court in said matter, and ordered that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested in said estate by publication of this notice three weeks successively previous to the day assigned, in the Barre Daily Times, a newspaper published at the city of Barre, in said district.

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WANTED—Pasture to turn out 10 head of young cattle, 1 yearling calf for the summer. Inquire of Raymond Diemer, tel. 469-W. Barre, R. D. 2.

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